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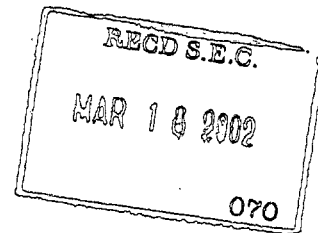


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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549



Report of Foreign Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of March, 2002

ABBEY NATIONAL plc

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

Abbey House, Baker Street  
London NW1 5XL, England  
(Address of principal executive offices)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover  
Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this  
Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under  
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes..... No... ☒ ...

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SCHEDULE 5

BLOCKLISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

1. Name of company

Abbey National plc

2. Name of scheme

Abbey National Share Save Scheme

3. Period of return: From 01-09-2001 to 28-02-2002

4. Number and class of shares(s)  
(amount of stock/debt security)  
not issued under scheme at end of last period

3,024,563 Ordinary Shares of 10p each

5. Number of shares issued/allotted  
under scheme during period

544,091

6. Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted  
at end of period

2,480,572

7. Number and class of share(s)  
(amount of stock/debt securities)  
originally listed and the date of admission

(a) 25,000,000 Ordinary Shares of 10p each  
25 August, 1993

(b) 4,500,000 Ordinary Shares of 10p each  
30 March, 2001

Please confirm total number of shares in issue at the end of the period  
in order for us to update our records

1,446,269,171

Contact for queries: Address: Abbey House, Baker Street, London NW1 6XL

Name: Amanda Drewery

Telephone: 0207 612 4594

SCHEDULE 5

BLOCKLISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

1. Name of company

Abbey National plc

2. Name of scheme

Abbey National Executive Share Option Scheme

3. Period of return: From 01-09-2001 to 26-02-2002

4. Number and class of shares(s)  
(amount of stock/debt security)  
not issued under scheme at end of last period

31,663 Ordinary Shares of 10p each

5. Number of shares issued/allotted  
under scheme during period

39,677

6. Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted  
at end of period

1,491,986

7. Number and class of share(s)  
(amount of stock/debt securities)  
originally listed and the date of admission

(a) 2,500,000 Ordinary Shares at 10p each  
25 August, 1993  
26

(b) 1,500,000 Ordinary Shares at 10p each  
24 March, 1999

(c) 1,500,000 Ordinary Shares at 10p each  
7 September, 2001

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SCHEDULE 5

BLOCKLISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

1. Name of company

Abbey National plc

2. Name of scheme

Abbey National Employee Share Option Scheme

3. Period of return: From 01-09-2001 to 28-02-2002

4. Number and class of shares(s)  
(amount of stock/debt security)  
not issued under scheme at end of last period

1,107,118 Ordinary Shares of 10p each

5. Number of shares issued/allotted  
under scheme during period

959,675

6. Balance under scheme not yet issued/allotted  
at end of period

1,647,443

7. Number and class of share(s)  
(amount of stock/debt securities)  
originally listed and the date of admission

(a) 784,313 Ordinary Shares of 10p each  
8 November, 1996  
9

(b) 1,149,420 Ordinary Shares of 10p each  
20 September, 2000

(c) 1,500,000 Ordinary Shares of 10p each  
24 December, 2001

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## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

ABBEY NATIONAL plc

Date: 15 March, 2002

By Amanda Drewery  
Amanda Drewery, Secretariat Assistant